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Infantry Division at Pozarevac<sup>1</sup>

1. The headquarters of an unidentified infantry division under the command of Colonel Sava Keser, is at Pozarevac. Lieutenant Colonel Blazo Markovic was political commissar of the division until the end of October 1951, at which time he was appointed manager of a government aircraft plant in Zemun.

### The 130 Infantry Regiment<sup>2</sup>

2. The headquarters of the 130 Infantry Regiment [redacted] a component of the aforementioned division, is also at Pozarevac. This regiment, with a complement of 1,500 men, is divided into three battalions. The officers of the 130 Infantry Regiment have been identified as:

- a. Lieutenant Colonel Ljubomir Jajanin - Commander;
- b. Lieutenant Colonel Romano Pelcic - Political Commissar; and
- c. Captain Ivan Gogola - Chief of Staff.

3. The three battalions of the 130 Infantry Regiment were described as follows:

- a. The 1 Battalion, with headquarters in Pozarevac, whose commanding officer and political commissar have been identified respectively as Captain Ivan Jandric and Major Slavko Reljic;
- b. The 2 Battalion [redacted], billeted in buildings formerly occupied by coffee houses at Veliko Gradiste, whose commanding officer and political commissar were identified respectively as Major Ilia Sladoja and Captain [redacted].

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Janko Samardjic. The 2 Battalion, with a complement of some 300 to 400 men, is broken down into three companies, the commanding officer of the 1 Company being identified as Captain Miladin Brankovic; and

- c. The 3 Battalion, with headquarters at Pozarevac, whose commanding officer and political commissar have been identified respectively as Major Ivan Franc and Captain Ivan Cuporijic.

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5. Eight unidentified commissioned officers, eight unidentified noncommissioned officers and 60 men are also attached to regimental headquarters.
6. The men of the 130 Infantry Regiment are equipped with Mauser rifles of German origin, which have been remodeled in Yugoslavia. The Regiment is adequately fed and clothed.
7. During October 1951, some 180 men of the 130 Infantry Regiment who had completed their term of military service, were forced to join a "voluntary" labor battalion, instead of being released. These men were put to work on the construction of a tunnel on the Doboj-Banja Luka railroad line. Of the 180 men sent to work on this project, only 110 arrived in Banja Luka.

1.  Comment: Presumably the 23/54 Infantry Division, of the 1/9 Army, which is subordinate to 3 Military District.

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